

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	Confirmation No.: 9907
)	
Etsuro OGATA et al)	Art Unit: 1643
)	
I.A. Filing Date: 08/20/1999)	Examiner: Alana M. Harris
371(c) Date: February 21, 2001)	
)	ATTY.'S DOCKET: OGATA=4
U.S. Appln. No.: 09/763,370)	
)	
For: METHOD OF DIAGNOSING BONE)	October 31, 2007
METASTASIS...)	

REPLY TO FINAL ACTION: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS,
FILED WITH RCE

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Customer Service Window, **Mail Stop AF**
Randolph Building, 401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Replying to the **final** rejection mailed July 27, 2007, petition for one month's extension of time and one month's late fee being attached hereto, and an RCE being filed herewith, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.